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RESPONSE TO COMMUNICATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Communication mailed January 29, 2004 setting a one-month period
for reply and supplemental to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2003 containing a restriction
requirement, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group III and the species of AAPC defined by (1)
the specific accessory molecule B7.1, (2) the presence of HLA molecule HLA A2.1 and (3) the
presence of specific T-cell specific epitope E495.